WSD At-Home Learning Days Grades 6-12

What is an at-home learning day?	Beginning this school year, Missouri school districts with an approved plan for at-home learning may count those as days of student attendance. This could occur due to COVID, weather-related events, water main breaks, etc. On these days, students will participate in learning in a variety of ways, with virtual interactions as well as at-home learning assignments.
What to expect for 6-12th grade students on an at-home learning day?	For our 6-12 students, they will have their Chromebooks at home and therefore, will receive a modified virtual instruction schedule. On these days, students will meet virtually with classes following their daily bell schedule. Students will be expected to attend these classes virtually and attendance will be taken. Additional assignments and activities may also be provided by the teacher.
How is attendance counted on an at-home learning day?	Attendance is based on the completion of assignments provided on an at-home learning day. • 6-12th grade students will also be asked to turn in completed assignments. In addition, attendance will be taken by the teacher during all virtual classes.
What to expect from my child's teacher(s) on an at-home learning day?	Teachers will be available virtually for students as well as will be sending out information regarding at-home learning assignments. • 6-12th grade teachers will meet with each class during their regular bell schedule. These meetings will be virtual through Google Meet. Class sessions will last between 35-40 minutes. Lessons will last for 15-20 minutes of that time and live virtual support will be available for the remainder of the 35-40 minute class window.

When will a child eat lunch during an at-home learning day?	6-12th grade students should plan to eat lunch during their daily lunchtime at school.
Will my child have breaks during the day?	It is important that students have breaks throughout their learning day. For 6-12th grade students, classes will be shorter than a typical day, providing small breaks throughout the day.
What if my child is sick or unable to attend classes on an at-home learning day?	Just like a typical day of attendance, if your child is sick or unable to attend classes on an at-home learning day, you should contact your school's attendance line to report your child as absent. Your child will be marked absent in this case.